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For:

ELECTRONIC INFORMATION DEVICE  
HAVING A DISPLAY AND METHOD AND  
APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING POWER-OFF  
OF THE DISPLAY

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**  
**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), of Application Serial No. 09/527,350, filed on March 17, 2000, by Masahito NIIKAWA, Naoki MASAZUMI,

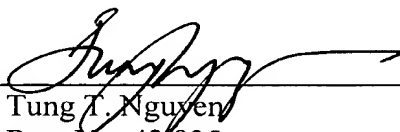
Kiyofumi HASHIMOTO and Yasuhiro MORIMOTO, entitled ELECTRONIC INFORMATION DEVICE HAVING A DISPLAY AND METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONTROLLING POWER-OFF OF THE DISPLAY.

A Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time is being filed concurrently herewith.

Please enter the Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 which was previously filed on July 12, 2004 (mailed to the Patent and Trademark Office on July 7, 2004), but not entered by the Examiner, and wherein claims 1, 5, 11, 15, 19, and 24 incorporate new amendments.

A Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form authorizing the amount of \$1,770.00 (\$790.00 for the filing fee for a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), and \$980.00 for the three-month extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3)), to be charged to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260 is enclosed herewith in duplicate. However, if the Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization form is missing, insufficient, or otherwise inadequate, or if a fee, other than the issue fee, is required during the pendency of this application, please charge such fee to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260.

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